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Art Unit : To be assigned
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.56 and § 1.97(b), Applicants wish to call the attention of the Examiner to the references listed on the accompanying form PTO-1449, copies of which are enclosed.

These references are relevant because they are cited in either the search report of the German Patent Office in a corresponding application or in Applicants' specification. A

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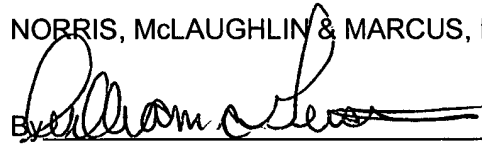
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Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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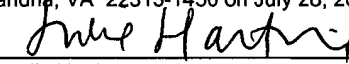
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